GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2710
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FUNDS TO PROTECT ARAWALI MOUNTAIN
BHERU LAL MEENA

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) the funds allocated and spent by the Government for the protection of Arawali mountain in Rajasthan, during each of the last three years; and

(b) the area where the funds were utilized alongwith the forest land thus protected under the same;

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT & FORESTS (SHRI DILIP SINGH JU DEV)

(a)&(b) Expenditures incurred during 1999-2000, 2000-2001 and 2001-2002 are Rs.4251.06 lakhs, Rs.4737.46 lakhs and Rs.5130.87 lakhs respectively in all the 18 districts in the Arawali range by 27 territorial and wildlife divisions protecting 20229.46 sq.km of forest area.